

Panchayat Monitoring system introduced to bring in pace in development activities

Transparent and corruption-free governance has been a priority of the state government on the one hand and on the other it is giving stress on digitisation to bring in pace in the implementation of development programmes, stated the Chief Minister Biplab Kumar Deb after launching the online Panchayat Monitoring system at the secretariat yesterday. With the inception of this system the secretaries of Panchayat and Village Council could now monitor development activities in their respective areas.

Under the system panchayat secretaries will send reports on the stalled works and the same will be taken up by the respective departments for solution. After seven days the nodal officers of the respective department will inspect the work. In this system officers at different levels could monitor development activities and in the way the administration would be corruption-free.

The online monitoring system has been developed by the IT department. The Chief Minister advised the RD department to take measures for orienting the

panchayat secretaries with the system through training. The monitoring system is available on <https://pms.tripura.gov.in> Chief secretary L.K. Gupta, secretaries of various departments and CEO, TTAADC were present on this occasion.

Unakoti Kishan Mela from February 12

Unakoti district level Kishan Mela will be held from February 12-14 in Kumarghat subdivision. The Agriculture Minister Pranajit Singha Roy will inaugurate the same at 4 pm. at the Gokulnagar School ground. Social Welfare and Social Education Minister Santana Chakma will remain present as the chief guest. This fair will be organised as a part of ATMA scheme of the agriculture and farmers' welfare department.

As a part of the fair exhibition stalls will be opened from agriculture, horticulture, fishery, animal resources development, forest departments and NGOs associated with agricultural activities and self-help groups. Stall and sale counter will also be opened from National Livelihood Mission Food Processing Group. So there will also be stalls to educate about Fasal Bima Yojana, agro-based industries, drinking water and sanitation, organic farming etc. issues. Cultural programme will be there but another attraction will be an



water cannot be tapped specially in hilly areas check-dams should be resorted to alongwith purification facility by using solar power. Check-dams are being constructed through JICA, forest and rural development department. In this context the Chief Minister instructed to be vigilant about whether the sources and functionaries are working properly.

Reporting on Atal Jaldhara Mission the principal secretary of DWS Manoj Kumar informed, target has been set to provide free drinking water connections to 3,69,297 families of rural areas in next three years under Atal Jaldhara Mission. To implement this, the government has to bear an expenditure of Rs. 55.39 crore. Connections will be given in rural areas in a phased manner. There are 91,464 drinking water connections in urban areas and some of these have been implemented under Atal Jaldhara Mission. In next three years rest 1,18,536 families will be covered under the scheme.

The DWS secretary also informed that out of total connections (49,826) in Agartala Municipal Corporation area 1,9,295 connections have been done under Atal Jaldhara Mission. Uncovered families will also be given free connections in a phased manner. In rural areas during the current financial year 54 deep tube-well and 36 small bore-wells have been installed. At

present there are 1775 deep tube-wells, 3529 small bore-wells and 863 iron removal plants in rural areas. The meeting was also attended by chief secretary L.K. Gupta, principal secretary of RD department B.K. Sahu, director of urban development Dr. Milind Ramteke, commissioner of AMC Dr. Shailesh Kumar Yadav, chief engineer of DWS Baishampayan Chakraborty and other officials.

Health camp of BSF at Asharambari

Mega health camp was organized by 191 battalion of BSF at Krishnamabosti JB School of Asharambari in Khowai subdivision on February 1, 2019. As a part of civic action programme, doctors treated 500 patients and distributed necessary medicine free of cost in the health camp. Moreover, blood test of 12 patients was done. DIG (BSF) Babi Joseph, Commandant T Tunlung and other officers of the battalion were present there.

Distribution of Agri-equipments among farmers of Matabari

Spray machine have been distributed by Matabari agriculture division among 310 small and marginal farmers of Matabari block on February 1, 2019. In a programme held at the conference hall of Matabari block MLA Biplab Kumar Ghosh

